

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/752,709 Confirmation No. : 5556  
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Docket No. : 010628.50474C3  
Customer No. : 23911  
  
Title : Mattress and Bedpan Cushion System Using an Air  
Pressure Switch and Reservoir

**REPLY**

**Mail Stop RCE**  
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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in response to the final Office Action dated January 25, 2007.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.